

SIDE LIGHTS On the Recent Campaign OF T. L. ODDIE

A Few Brief Happenings That Resulted From the Tour of This State in the Famous "Sawed Off Auto."

Just about a month ago an automobile that had nearly lost all traces of its former resemblance was driven up to a farm house in the eastern part of the state. The car contained three passengers, including the driver. It was the driver who alighted first. Attired in khaki trousers, somewhat the worse for wear and decorated with numerous splashes of grease and dirt, a light shirt, also having a grease and oil embellishment, and sleeves rolled up to the elbows; a cap that had done service for some time; and with a fine coating of tan and dust, he might have been taken for a transcontinental traveler. Walking up to the ranch house, he was met by the owner of the land, who was handed a card on which was inscribed:

"T. L. Oddie, candidate for the Republican nomination of governor."

The rancher read the card and politely inquired:

"Where is he?"

"My name is Oddie," was the startling reply, and then the introductions were concluded.

This incident happened time and time again during the preliminary campaign of Senator Oddie throughout the eastern part of Nevada, when he was making the trip aboard his famous "sawed-off auto." That he convinced the people he was adapted to handle the affairs of the state, was shown by the result of the primary ballot. Innumerable hardships were of daily occurrence. The trip was a record breaker, for when Mr. Oddie, James A. Buchanan and the latter's thirteen-year-old son left Tonopah their exchequer contained less than \$100. After nine days of campaigning, they decided to leave Reno and make the eastern part of the state. An inventory of the stock on hand was taken and it showed that the car had plenty of provisions aboard, sleeping bags, cooking utensils and in fact nearly everything with the exception of gasoline. But ten dollars remained in the treasury.

Senator Oddie also had in his possession a set of pearl studs, a gold button and a specimen. He entered one of the Reno banks and shoving his collateral in front of the cashier, asked how much he would advance.

"Well, this assortment looks to be good for \$150," was the reply. "Hand it over quick," said Oddie, and in a few minutes he departed with a smile. The car was equipped with gasoline and the tour was on again.

At Rye Patch, a station between Inlay and Lovelock, on the Southern Pacific road, Mr. Oddie discovered a man attending to the watering tank. The auto was halted and he started out to talk politics. "How many men live here?" he asked the lone watcher.

The response was a jumbled jargon of unintelligible noises, accompanied by a wild waving of the arms.

Buchanan had approached in the meantime, and when Oddie turned around he saw Buck making signs with his hands. The tank tender was deaf and dumb. Buchanan was an adept with the sign language and in the silent conversation introductions were carried on with the result that Oddie gained a vote.

All along the line the party encountered former southern Nevada miners; many had worked for Oddie in the old days of this camp, while a number had only recently been employed at the Lucky Boy camp. So it soon became a regular thing when on entering a town and announcing his identity, that he was informed "that he didn't need any boosters there, as the men who had worked for him were on the job." Several times when making a speech from the tonneau of the auto, Oddie would scan the faces in the crowd looking for an old acquaintance. All would be strangers, until suddenly he would observe an old acquaintance approach, and then the speech would suddenly terminate. Before a half hour Oddie would know the whole town, and despite the fact that he was in the enemy's country, the impression he made was a wonderful one.

"The pleasantest incident of the

trip," said Mr. Oddie afterward in relating his travels, "happened at Winnemucca. We had been traveling night and day and on several occasions were forced to sleep out in the open, cooking our meals beside the machine. We arrived in Winnemucca tired and almost worn out. Our appearance bespoke our condition. We had not been in the town five minutes before we met Dave Staunton. Dave took us to his house and treated us to a chicken dinner, the first we had since leaving Tonopah. That chicken dinner was the best meal I ever enjoyed, and needless to say we did justice to the cooking."

It was Dave Staunton who, despite the most powerful opposition, came out for Oddie and worked like a Trojan for his nomination.

When the party were approaching Ely things were not looking favorable from a financial standpoint. But \$4.50 remained in the treasury, and consequently the situation had a blue appearance. The car was just about out of gasoline, and besides the grub box had been depleted.

A number of Tonopah friends, in the meantime, had thought the matter over and concluded that Oddie was due to be about broke, so a collection was taken up and \$250 was wired to Ely. The donation arrived at the right time, and according to Oddie's address on his return to Tonopah, "I would have been in Ely yet if my friends had not come to my assistance."

The happenings during the thirteen days, in which thirteen counties were visited, would fill a book, and only a few are related above. Nevertheless the trip was a momentous one, for it resulted in a demonstration that a poor man has an equal chance to become governor of Nevada as has a rich man. Furthermore, it is an exemplification of the friendship that existed and exists in southern Nevada, for Oddie's hardest workers were men who had known him in the early days of Tonopah, and many had even worked for him. It was a friendship that knows no termination.

SUIT AGAINST MONTANA TONOPAH IS DECIDED

R. P. DUNLAP IS AWARDED
\$7,500 BY A JURY IN THE
FEDERAL COURT.

The jury in the case of R. P. Dunlap versus the Montana Tonopah Mining company, which was heard before the federal court at Carson, returned a verdict Saturday night in favor of the plaintiff, allowing him \$7,500. The original suit was for \$20,000, which the plaintiff alleged was due him for services rendered the company while acting in the capacity as an officer for over seven years, during which time he failed to receive any pay at all. The case consumed about a week and the verdict was returned after short deliberation. Notice was given by the defense that an appeal would be taken to the federal court of appeals. Mr. Dunlap was represented by S. S. Summerfield of Reno. His original attorneys were McIntosh & Cooke of this city, but owing to the fact that Mr. Cooke was engaged in the local court and

that Mr. McIntosh is ill in Berkeley, Mr. Summerfield was called in. Rufus Thayer, formerly of Goldfield, represented the Montana.

JURY RETURNS AFTER DAY SPENT AT ROUND MT.

PERSONAL INVESTIGATION IS
MADE OF GROUND OVER
WHICH DISPUTE AROSE.

After spending yesterday at Round Mountain, the jury in the case of R. F. Davidson versus the Round Mountain Mining company, accompanied by Judge Mark R. Averill, Mrs. Gillespie, court reporter; Lowell Daniels, deputy clerk; Balliff McFadden and attorneys in the case, returned to Tonopah late last evening. The jury and court officials spent the day in going over and inspecting the grounds of the lease of Davidson on the Red Top estate, and becoming familiar with the situation. The trip was taken Saturday evening at the request of counsel for both sides, and four automobiles were pressed into service to transport the party to the northern camp.

It is expected that an abundance of maps and blue prints will be placed in evidence, and the personal investigation by the jurors will aid greatly in understanding the situation and location of the ground over which the dispute arose.

STOCK COMPANY END ENGAGEMENT AT THE NEVADA

WILL PLAY A RETURN EN-
GAGEMENT HERE IN ABOUT
TWO WEEKS.

Last evening the Redmond stock company closed their week's engagement at the Nevada theater and left on the noon train for Goldfield, where they will play for the next seven days. Throughout the stay of the popular company in Tonopah crowded houses have greeted each performance and it was announced that a return date would be played here in about two weeks. Last night's play, "A Bachelor's Romance," was up to the standard, and was appreciated by the audience. On the return engagement an entirely new repertoire will be presented, for the company has a large list of productions to draw from.

As usual last evening, Kernan Cripps, Beth Taylor, Ed Redmond and Clifford Thompson carried off the honors and all were the recipients of well-earned applause.

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DIVIDEND NOTICE.

At the meeting of the board of directors of the Tonopah Mining Company of Nevada, held this day, a regular quarterly dividend of twenty-five per cent, and extra dividend of fifteen per cent was declared payable October 21, 1910, to stockholders of record September 20, 1910. Transfer books close 3:00 p. m., September 30, 1910. Open October 10, 1910, 10:00 a. m. C. A. HIGBEE, Treasurer.

Philadelphia, Pa., Sept. 22, 1910. 9-22-6t.

NYE COUNTY REPUBLICAN PARTY CONVENTION

Notice is hereby given that on Saturday morning, October 1, 1910, at 10 o'clock a. m., in the rooms of the Republican Club, Tonopah, Nevada, a convention of the Nye county republican candidates will be held for the purpose of adopting a county platform, and transacting such other business as may legally come before it.

R. B. GOVAN, Chairman Nye County Republican Central Committee.

P. S. BOOTH, Secretary. 9-21 to 9-30

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

R. B. "DICK" DAVIS of Tonopah, regular Republican nominee for

COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Long Term) of Nye county. Election Tuesday, November 8, 1910.

MARK R. AVERILL of Tonopah, regular Republican nominee for

DISTRICT JUDGE of the Fifth Judicial District of the State of Nevada. Election, Tuesday, November 8, 1910.

JAMES G. CUSHING respectfully announces that he is an independent candidate for election to the office of

SHERIFF AND ASSESSOR of Nye county, subject to the will of the voters on November 8, 1910.

GEO. S. NIXON Regular Republican nominee for UNITED STATES SENATOR Election Tuesday, November 8, 1910.

W. W. BOOTH of Tonopah, regular Republican nominee for Supt. State Printing Election Tuesday, November 8, 1910.

W. P. "BILLY" ACKERMAN of Tonopah, regular Republican nominee for

COUNTY COMMISSIONER (Short Term) of Nye county. Election, Tuesday, November 8, 1910.

ROBERT G. POHL of Tonopah, regular Republican nominee for

COUNTY CLERK of Nye county. Election Tuesday, November 8, 1910.

KENNETH J. BOOTH of Tonopah, regular Republican nominee for

ASSEMBLYMAN election Tuesday, November 8, 1910.

MIL S. MEDIN

of Tonopah, respectfully announces that he is an independent candidate for election to the office of

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